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CSWC Operational Period Summary

1800 September 11 2017 to 0600 September 12 2017



Lightning crashes over Ocean Beach in San Francisco.

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STAC 72 Hour Open Source Report

- Report Attached

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Level 1	Level 1	Level 1

Cal OES State Operations Center

The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) was activated at Level II in support of statewide fires and National Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) coordination.

- The SOC deactivated as of 09/11/17 at 1430 hours.

Hurricane Irma Deployments, State of Florida

Resources requested in support of impacts due to Hurricane Irma:

- California US&R Task Force 1 (CA-TF1), Los Angeles City Fire Department – Type I US&R with 80 personnel
- California US&R Task Force 3 (CA-TF3), Menlo Park Fire Protection District -Type 1 US&R with 80 personnel
- California US&R Task Force 4 (CA-TF4), Oakland Fire Department - Type I US&R with 80 personnel
- California US&R Task Force 6 (CA-TF6), Riverside Fire Department – MRP (Mission Ready Package / Canine) with 7 personnel
- California US&R Task Force 8 (CA-TF8), San Diego City Fire Rescue - Type 1 US&R with 80 personnel
- California US&R Red IST (Incident Support Team) - Mission Number: 2017-FIRE-38532

Cal OES EMAC Missions

- **2017-Cal OES-38629:** Two (2) A-Team Members to assist Florida EMAC staff with requesting and managing EMAC requests. One (1) member from Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA) and one from California National Guard (CNG) deployed on 09/07/17 for a 14 day deployment. Demobilization is scheduled for 09/22/17.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 5	Preparedness Level 4	Preparedness Level 3
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 3	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 3

Fire Mission Tasking

- **2017-FIRE-38436** has been approved for 6 California National Guard TYPE I Helicopters for water dropping and crew transport, and 1 TYPE I MEDEVAC helicopter with night vision capabilities for medical rescue operations.
- **2017-FIRE-38476** has been approved for 3 Force Packages (12 Hand Crews) from California National Guard to support fire suppression activities on behalf of CAL FIRE.
- **2017-FIRE-38556** has been approved for 1 California National Guard Fixed Wing RC-26 for infrared flight imagery for recording real time fire coverage on behalf of CAL FIRE.
- **2017-FIRE-38527** has been approved for 1 California Conservation Corp Camp Crew to support the La Tuna Fire base camp on behalf of LA City Fire. ([Mission Closed](#))

Orleans Complex, Vegetation Fires, Siskiyou County

Location: 20 miles N of Orleans

Jurisdiction: FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 09/11/17 at 0752 hours:

- 26,579 acres, 53% contained
- Expected Containment: 09/30/17
- Complex of 4 fires; Ukonom, Haypress, Burney Fire, Forks Fire
- Fire behavior is increasing with flanking, backing and creeping

Deployment

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief assigned

FIRE ACTIVITY

Eclipse Complex, Vegetation Fires, Siskiyou County

Location: Near Happy Camp

Jurisdiction: FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 09/12/17 at 0530 hours:

- 96,229 acres, 25% contained
- Expected Containment: 10/10/17
- Three fires in the complex: Cedar, Oak and Abney
- Abney Fire is part of the R-6 Miller Complex with resources assisting
- Moderate creeping, backing and smoldering
- Heavy timber including old growth with pockets of brush

Proclamations

- On 09/06/17, a Proclamation was received from Del Norte County due to unhealthy air quality from smoke generated by area fires. The smoke generated by fires in Oregon (Chetco Bar) and Del Norte and Siskiyou Counties (Eclipse Complex) has caused significant health related issues with residents of Del Norte County. The County of Del Norte is requesting a Director's Concurrence in order to assist the Del Norte County with the financial burden of the event.

Deployment

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief assigned

Salmon August Complex, Vegetation Fires, Siskiyou County

Location: Marble Mountain Wilderness and Trinity Alps Wilderness

Jurisdiction: FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 09/12/17 at 0545 hours:

- 65,636 acres, 28% contained
- Expected Containment: 09/20/17
- Moderate fire behavior, backing and creeping
- Two fires within the complex: Wallow and Deep
- Threat to the communities of Fork of Salmon, Little North Fork and Sawyers Bar along the North Fork of the Salmon River

Deployment

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief assigned

FIRE ACTIVITY

Helena, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County

Location: Highway 299 near the town of Helena, 5 mi NW of Junction City

Jurisdiction: State/Federal DPA, SRA/FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [09/12/17 at 0545 hours](#):

- [21,063 acres, 47% contained](#)
- [Expected Containment: 10/01/17](#)
- Fire behavior remained active, then minimal after midnight
- Structures threatened in the communities of Canyon Creek and Weaverville

Activations

- Trinity County EOC is activated at Level II from [0700-1800 hours](#).

Deployment

- 2 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Assistant Chiefs assigned
- 1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Assistant Chief monitoring
- 1 Cal OES Inland Region Emergency Services Coordinator (ESC) monitoring remotely

FMAG

- On 08/31/17, a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) application was received.
 - The FMAG was approved on 09/01/17, declaration number FEMA-5199-FM-CA.

Proclamation

- On 08/31/17, a Proclamation was received from Trinity County due to a series of wildfires which began on 08/30/17, and resulted in conditions of extreme peril to the safety of person and property in the county. There are no requests for assistance at this time.
- On 08/31/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Trinity County due to the effects of the Helena Fire, which has burned thousands of acres, damaged critical infrastructure, destroyed homes and caused the evacuation of residents.
[Click here to read full Proclamation](#)
- On 09/06/17, Trinity County requested CDAA and direct state assistance for private property debris removal.

Evacuations

- Canyon Creek Area
- Evacuation orders on the south side of Hwy 299 within the evacuated zone for residents only. Residents will be allowed to re-enter as of 1200 hours, in cycles of 20 cars every 15 minutes.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Helena, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County (Continued)

Shelter

- American Red Cross (ARC), First Baptist Church, 1261 Main St., Weaverville
 - Midnight Count: 2
- Animal Shelter: Hayfork Fairgrounds, 6000 Highway 3, Hayfork
- Clean Air Center: Golden Age Center, 201 Browns Ranch Rd., Weaverville
 - Open 0800-1800 hours daily
- Clean Air Center: Cox Bar Elementary School, 304 Corral Bottom Rd., Big Bar
 - Open 1000-1700 hours daily

Road Closures

- East of Helena West of Junction City on Highway 299
- Highway 299 is closed in both directions, west of Helena Bridge and East of Junction City
 - Expected to be opened intermittently but controlled 0530 – 2130 hours based upon fire activity.

Schools

- The following schools are closed in Trinity County due to the fire and unhealthy smoke conditions: Weaverville Elementary School, Lewiston Elementary School, Douglas City Elementary School.
 - [Trinity High Schools reopened on 09/11/17](#)

Recovery

- A Local Long Term Recovery Group is being established.

Fork, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County

7 mi NE of Helena and Junction City, 1/2 mi NE of Helena Fire

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA

Per the Cal OES Duty Officers as of 09/11/17 at 0752 hours:

- 3,417 acres, 0% containment
- [Expected Containment: 10/01/17](#)
- Fire continues to back towards Canyon Creek Rd. threatening 14 residential structures
- Fire is being managed under the Helena IMT and is within 0.5 miles of merging with the Helena Fire

FIRE ACTIVITY

Summit Complex, Vegetation Fires, Tuolumne County

Location: South of Douglas Day use area off of Hwy 108

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [09/11/17 at 0945 hours](#):

- 4,653 acres, [30% containment](#)
- [Expected Containment: 10/31/17](#)
- Minimal fire behavior
- Fires in the complex are Douglas, Willow and McCormik

Railroad, Vegetation Fire, Madera and Mariposa Counties

Location: Highway 41, between Sugar Pine and Fish Camp

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 09/11/17 at 0752 hours:

- 12,407 acres, 75% contained
- Expected Containment: [09/15/17](#)
- Minimal fire behavior with smoldering
- Fire is in a high tree mortality area

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief assigned
- 1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Assistant Chief assigned

FMAG

- On 09/02/17, a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) application was received.
 - The FMAG was approved on 09/02/17, declaration number FEMA-5202-FM-CA.

Proclamations

- On 09/03/17 at 1854 hours, Madera County submitted a proclamation of local emergency. Madera County is requesting a waiver of regulations that may hinder response and recovery, CDAA, and federal resources.
- On 09/06/17, a proclamation was received from Mariposa County due to the effects of the Railroad, Peak, and Cathedral Spires Fires. The County is requesting CDAA.
- On 09/07/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Madera, Mariposa and Tulare counties due to the effects of the Railroad, Pier, Mission and Peak fires, which have burned thousands of acres, threatened homes and critical infrastructure and caused the evacuation of residents. [Click here to read full Proclamation](#)

FIRE ACTIVITY

Railroad, Vegetation Fire, Madera and Mariposa Counties (Continued)

Evacuations

- Mandatory:
 - Sugar Pine Community (43 Houses, 100-115 People / 1 Camp Facility – 20 Buildings)
 - Cedar Valley Community (150 Houses, 200-215 People)
 - Sky Ranch Community (100 Houses, 250-270 People)
 - Sierra National Forest between CA-41 and Beasore Road (3 Camp Facility – 45 Buildings)
 - Total: 293 homes, 600 people
- Advisory Evacuations:
 - Northside of Bissett Station Road (Road 620) between Highway 41 and Round House Road (Road 628). (75 House, 200 people)

Road Closures

- Several small roads are closed in the area

Law Enforcement

- Mutual aid for Incident Command Post (ICP) security was requested for dayshift. Fresno County Sheriff's Office, Merced County Sheriff's Office, Kerman Police Department, and Clovis Police Department are deploying personnel.

South Fork, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County

Location: 1.5 miles east of Wawona

Jurisdiction: FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 09/11/17 at 1730 hours:

- 6,840 acres, 47% contained
- Expected Containment: 09/30/17
- No structures threatened
- Moderate fire behavior
- Burning in tree mortality area

FIRE ACTIVITY

Mission, Vegetation Fire, Madera County

Location: Mission Dr. X Italian Bar Rd., 2 miles east of North Fork

Jurisdiction: State/Federal DPA, FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [09/12/17 at 0544 hours](#):

- 1,035 acres, [95% contained](#)
- [Expected Containment: 09/13/17](#)
- Structures remain threatened in several communities
- Minimal fire behavior with smoldering
- Burning in tree mortality area
- Demobilization and mop up continues

Activations

- The Madera County EOC is activated at Level I as of 09/09/17 at 0848 hours.

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Assistant Chief assigned
- 1 Cal OES Fire Rescue Branch Assistant Chief assigned

FMAG

- On 09/04/17, a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) application was received.
 - The FMAG was approved on 09/04/17, declaration number FEMA-5204-FM-CA.

Proclamations

- On 09/03/17 at 1854 hours, Madera County submitted a proclamation of local emergency. Madera County is requesting a waiver of regulations that may hinder response and recovery, CDAA, and federal resources.
- On 09/07/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Madera, Mariposa and Tulare counties due to the effects of the Railroad, Pier, Mission and Peak fires, which have burned thousands of acres, threatened homes and critical infrastructure and caused the evacuation of residents. [Click here to read full Proclamation](#)

Law Enforcement

- The Madera County Sheriff's Department has requested Law Enforcement Mutual Aid to the Region V Mutual Aid Coordinator, Fresno County Sheriff's Office will continue on an as needed basis.

FIRE ACTIVITY

Pier, Vegetation Fire, Tulare County

Location: Highway 190, at Wishon Rd. 7 miles East of Springville

Jurisdiction: State/Federal DPA, FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of [09/12/17 at 0530 hours](#):

- [30,390 acres](#), 60% contained
- [Expected Containment: 09/20/17](#)
- Moderate fire behavior with backing, flanking and smoldering
- Mandatory and voluntary evacuations for several communities
- Burning in tree mortality area

Activations

- The Tulare County EOC activated to a Level II on 09/11/17 at 0800 hours.

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Law Enforcement Branch Assistant Chief assigned
- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief assigned

FMAG

- On 08/29/17, a Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) application was received. On 09/05/17, an update to the FMAG Request was received.
 - On 09/05/17, the FMAG was approved, declaration number FEMA-5205-FM-CA.

Proclamation

- On 08/30/17 at 1126 hours, a Proclamation was received from Tulare County, requesting a Gubernatorial Proclamation, disaster funding assistance through the California Disaster Assistance Act (CDAA), a Fire Management Assistant Grant (FMAG), and waiver of regulations that hinder response and recovery efforts.
- On 09/07/17, Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. issued an emergency proclamation for Madera, Mariposa and Tulare counties due to the effects of the Railroad, Pier, Mission and Peak fires, which have burned thousands of acres, threatened homes and critical infrastructure and caused the evacuation of residents. [Click here to read full Proclamation](#)

Evacuations

- Total Under Mandatory: 801
- Total Under Voluntary: 574
- Total Current: 1375
- Areas under mandatory evacuation: Sequoia Crest, Mountain Aire, Rogers Camp, Pierpoint Springs, Cedar Slope, Camp Nelson, Doyle Springs, Alpine Village, Wishon



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FIRE ACTIVITY

Pier, Vegetation Fire, Tulare County (Continued)

Road Closure

- Highway 190 east of Springville is closed at Upper Rio Vista Road to eastbound traffic.
- Highway 190 north of Ponderosa is closed at Forest Road 21S50 to westbound traffic.
- Cow Mountain Road at Rio Vista.

Tribal-Tule River Indian Tribe

Per the Cal OES Tribal Liaison:

- No tribal buildings are currently under threat.
- The Cal OES Inland Region is in communication with the tribe's Emergency Director and at this time, the tribe is reporting no unmet needs.

Health and Medical

- The county is working with local Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA) to transport to Sierra View Hospital in Porterville due to smoke in the area.
 - Sierra Care at the Lake nursing facility has 10 patients.
- The decision was made to shelter in place and not go to the hospital, however ambulance support is ready if needed.
- Tulare County Public Health Branch has issued an Air Health Alert due to increased smoke.

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes

- There are no lifeline route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- There are many non-lifeline closures throughout the state. Please visit the Caltrans Road Conditions page for the most current information.

Wildfire Closures:

- Tulare County: State Route 190 is closed from Balch Park Rd. in Springville to 5.2 miles east of Springville.
 - Estimated Time of Reopening: Unknown

Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center Activations at this time.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



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California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	911 Outage

Service Interruptions:

- [None Reported](#)

Remote/Community Isolations:

Community Isolation, Community of Coleville, Mono County

On 09/07/17 at 1728 hours, the Cal OES 9-1-1 Branch notified the California State Warning Center (CSWC) of a Community Isolation in Coleville, Mono County, due to a fiber cable burned by wildfires. The isolation is affecting landline 9-1-1 services only. The Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) is operational. California Unified Emergency Association (CUEA) and the Cal OES 9-1-1 Branch have confirmed cellular 9-1-1 services are not affected and the population affected is approximately 308 customers.

- The Cal OES Fire Duty Officer (FDO) and Law Duty Officer (LDO) have confirmed that Mono County and Coleville residents are safe and that the fire is moving away from Coleville into Nevada.
- Per the Cal OES Southern Duty Officer (SDO), Mono County has made no request for state assistance at this time.
- At 2148 hours, Cal OES 9-1-1 Branch advised that damage to the fiber, copper and poles in Coleville is more severe than anticipated.
- Wildfires have burned through copper, telephone poles, and approximately 16,000 ft. of fiber in the Coleville area
- Estimated time of restoral is 09/13/17.
- If the status of either landline or cellular service should change, Cal OES 9-1-1 Branch will be notified immediately.
- The CSWC made notifications per SOP.
- Cal OES Duty Officers have been advised and will continue to monitor the situation.

WEATHER OF CONCERN

Weather of Concern

- Stronger thunderstorms are expected towards the west side of the valley along the Diablo Mountain range with possible damaging winds and heavy downpours resulting in local flooding.
- Showers and thunderstorms (along with cooler temperatures) will be possible across much of Northern California through mid-week.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

- <https://alerts-v2.weather.gov/counties/CA>

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

Rather moist weather anticipated the first half of this week.

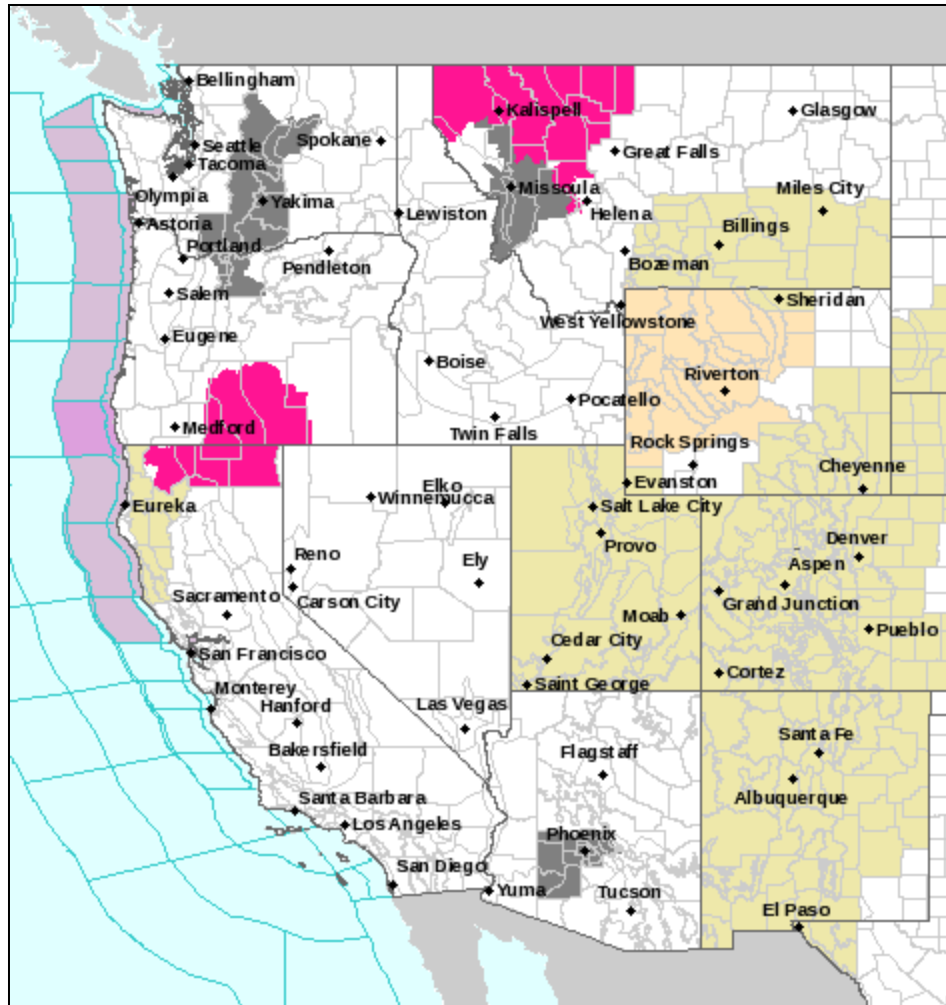
Moisture and instability rotating around a low moving slowly north off the Southern California coast will spread across Northern California today. Some showers and isolated wet thunderstorms will develop over Northern California this afternoon and become somewhat more widespread overnight. Precipitation may occur in any area of the region through Tuesday night, and a pause in that action is expected Wednesday with most of Wednesday's action expected over the eastern mountains. Later Wednesday a low pressure trough from off the Pacific will arrive and keep some isolated showers going over our northern and especially eastern mountains through Thursday night. Friday through the weekend looks dry except for Sunday when another trough arrives that may generate some more light precipitation in the far northwest corner of the region. Temperatures will be coolest Thursday through Saturday up to around 5 degrees below normal with the warmest inland valleys in the mid 80s. Higher relative Humidity (RH) and areas of precipitation should increase overall fuel moisture across the region over the next few days, but new fire starts or holdovers will still be possible from the lightning. Some periods of gusty west to north winds may set up late this week and over the weekend.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Scattered showers and thunderstorms through Wednesday.

Scattered showers and thunderstorms will continue to move across the region through Wednesday as an area of low pressure sits off the coast of Point Conception. The low will open and push to the east Thursday as a Pacific trough moves inland across the West Coast ending the shower and thunderstorm threat. Temperatures will continue to be near normal through Tuesday, with mid 70s to mid 80s across the mountains and mid 80s to mid 90s in the valleys. Temperatures will cool to the upper 60s and 70s across the mountains and upper 70s and 80s in the valleys Wednesday through this weekend. Minimum humidity will be above 20% across the region through this weekend. Winds will be light through Tuesday, except there will be strong and erratic winds in and near any thunderstorms. Westerly winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph will surface across the wind prone mountain and desert areas Wednesday through this weekend.

WEATHER MAP



- [Gale Warning](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory For Winds](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)
- [Air Quality Alert](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)
- [Short Term Forecast](#)



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- **2017-LAW-38695, 09/09/17, 1247 hours:** Fresno County Sheriff's Office requested Side Scan Sonar and a Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV) to assist in a recovery of a drowning victim in Wishon Reservoir. Tulare County will assist on Sunday (09/10/17) and Stanislaus County will assist on Monday (09/11/17) if needed. **Mission Ongoing.**

Cal OES MISSION TASKING

Cal OES Missions

- **2017-Cal OES-35819:** Twelve Caltrans engineers requested to conduct damage and site inspections throughout the state for impacts related to 2017 February Winter Storms. The lead engineer will report to the Joint Field Office to coordinate the response.
- **2017-Coastal-37716:** One (1) Air Monitor for Humboldt County
- **2017-Inland-38039:** Five California Air Resources Board (CARB) air monitors have been placed in Siskiyou County to monitor smoke from numerous wildfires in Siskiyou County as well as smoke drifting into Siskiyou County from wildfires in Modoc, Trinity, Del Norte and Humboldt counties. (On Scene)
- **2017-SOC-38314:** One (1) California Department of Parks and Recreation Associate State Archeologist to support the Joint Field Office (JFO) from 08/28/17 to 09/29/17. In coordination with a Cal OES Senior Environmental Planner, the Associate State Archeologist will review Disaster Damage Descriptions for potential California Historical Resources Information System (CHRIS) requests and request CHRIS reports when necessary.
- **2017-Cal OES-38400:** One (1) Air Quality E-BAM modem for Klamath (Del Norte OA)
- **2017-Cal OES-38404:** One (1) Air Quality Monitor/E-BAM modem for Gasquet (Del Norte OA)
- **2017-FIRE-38532:** California Urban Search and Rescue (US&R) Red IST - 1 Personnel from California to Puerto Rico, and 5 Personnel from California to Virginia, 1 personnel from California to Tennessee, 2 personnel from California to Georgia, [1 personnel from California to Washington DC](#), [12 personnel from California to Florida](#)
- **2017-IREOC-38682:** DTSC Hazardous Waste Task Force
- **2017-IREOC-38683:** CalRecycle Debris Management Task Force



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